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FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION WASHINGTON, D.C. 20463



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MEMORANDUM

TO:

The Commission

THROUGH:

Alec Palmer PCO Staff Director

FROM:

Patricia C. Orrock

Chief Compliance Officer

Debbie Chacona

Assistant Staff Director Reports Analysis Division

BY:

KOR Kristin D. Roser/Sari Pickerall

Reports Analysis Division

Compliance Branch

SUBJECT:

Reason To Believe Recommendation - 2014 Year-End Report for the

Administrative Fine Program

Attached is a list of political committees and their treasurers who failed to file the 2014 Year-End Report in accordance with 52 U.S.C. § 30104(a). The Year-End Report was due on January 31, 2015.

The committees listed in the attached RTB Circulation Report either failed to file the no more than thirty (30) days after the due date (considered a late filed report), or filed the report more than thirty (30) days after the due date (considered a non-filed report). In accordance with the schedule of civil money penalties for reports at 11 C.F.R. 111.43, these committees should be assessed the civil money penalties highlighted on the attached circulation report.

Recommendation

- 1. Find reason to believe that the political committees and their treasurers listed on the RTB Circulation Report violated 52 U.S.C. § 30104(a) and make a preliminary determination that the civil money penalties would be the amounts indicated on the RTB Circulation Report.
- 2. Send the appropriate letters.

Federal Election Commission Reason to Believe Circulation Report 2014 YEAR-END Not Election Sensitive 01/31/2015 H_S_P_UNAUTH

RTB Penalty	\$330
LOA	\$8,601
Days Late	Not Filed
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Threshold	\$309,164
Treasurer	BART J. WARD \$309,164 C
Candidate Name	ABELER, JAMES J
Committee Name	ABELER4SENATE
Committee	C00546630
AF#	2953

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\$330	\$8,662	\$550	\$1,362	\$2,970	\$4,950	4550
\$8,601	\$92,359 (est)	\$24,282 (est)	\$37,655 (est)	\$62,806 (est)	\$113,437 (est)	\$17 685 (act)
Not Filed	Not Filed	Not Filed	Not Filed	Not Filed	Not Filed	Not Filed
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\$309,164	\$369,434	\$121,412	\$112,964	\$628,063	\$453,747	\$104 531
BART J. WARD	STEVENR	RONALD	OLIVIA	RAYNETTE K NICHOLSON	GEORGE FREDERICK CICOTTE	MARK
ABELER, JAMES J	BEALE, ANTHONY A		TURNQUEST, CALVIN DEON	CAVASSO, CAMPBELL	CICOTTE, GEORGE FREDERICK	
ABELER4SENATE	BEALE FOR CONGRESS	BELIEVE IN LIFE LIBERTY YOURSELF AKA BILLY PAC	CALVIN D TURNQUEST FOR CONGRESS	CAM CAVASSO FOR U S SENATE	CICOTTE FOR CONGRESS	CUBIST PHARMACEUTICALS
2953 C00546630	2955 C00540385	2956 C00559146	2958 C00550129	C00405852	2960 C00558601	2961 C00460238
2953	2955	2956	2958	2959	2960	2961

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\$17,685 (est) \$20,544 (est)

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\$194,531 \$102,720

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> > FREI, DANIEL EDWARD

CUBIST PHARMACEUTICALS
INC. PAC (CUBIST PAC)
DAN FREI FOR CONGRESS

2961 C00460238 2962 C00553297

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\$1,090	\$275	099\$	\$1,090	\$1,090	\$13.200
\$42,187 (est)	\$1,000	\$20,414 (est)	\$45,034 (est)	\$49,592 (est)	\$993 529 (est)
Not Filed	Not Filed	Not Filed	Not Filed	Not Filed	Not Filed
	3/16/2015				
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\$268,359	\$185,684	\$102,072	\$225,170	\$297,553	\$2,980,586
GLEN HATTON \$268,359	ROBERT BEAUVAIS	ROBERT WAYNE WARTHER	BRYAN	STACEY J. FANTAUZZI	11 OYD HETZER \$2.980.586 0
	MOYLAN, DAVID JOHN III MD		ESPERO, WILLIAM	FISCHER, JAMES M	FINN GFORGE SHFA
DEMOCRATIC FOUNDATION OF ORANGE COUNTY	DOC MOYLAN GOES TO WASHINGTON ELECTION COMMITTEE	EMPOWER CITIZENS NETWORK	ESPERO FOR CONGRESS	FISCHER FOR CONGRESS	FLINN FOR SFNATE
2964 C00176420	2965 C00548453	2966 C00522821	2967 C00547067	2968 C00554345	2969 C00561688
964	965	996	2962	968	696

Not Filed \$32,581 (est) \$1,090	Not Filed \$20,874 (est) \$687	
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\$228,068 0	\$125,244	0 121 331
CAROL RUSSELL \$228,068	JEREMY M. STAMPER	LESUE
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IF HE VOTES LIKETHAT IN SALEM IMAGINE WHAT HE WILL DO IN CONGRESS	JAY STAMPER FOR SENATE STAMPER, JEREMY MICHAEL COMMITTEE	JETT FOR CONGRESS
2971 C00559054	2972 C00543033	2973 C00560672
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AF#	Committee ID	Committee Name	Candidate Name	Treasurer	Threshold	δ	Receipt Date	Days Late	FOA .	RTB Penalty
2975	C00545715	JORGE BONILLA FOR US CONGRESS INC	BONILLA, JORGE L JR	MAGDALENA BONILLA	\$270,955	2		Not Filed	\$54,191 (est)	\$4,455
2976	C00552513	KALEKA FOR CONGRESS	KALEKA, AMARDEEP	PETER BELLIN	\$312,974	0		Not Filed	\$62,595 (est)	\$2,970
2977	C00552992	KWASMAN FOR CONGRESS	KWASMAN, ADAM CHARLES	ADAM KWASMAN	\$619,532	0	2/19/2015	19	\$21,000	\$205
2978	C00553958	LARRY WILSKE FOR CONGRESS	WILSKE, LARRY ALBERT	ANTHONY ELLIOTT STEWART	\$406,466	0	2/27/2015	72	\$715	\$162
2979	C00548024	LORENZO 'LARRY' PALOMARES-STARBUCK FOR CONGRESS	PALOMARES-STARBUCK, LORENZO 'LARRY'	ELY CESAR	\$161,220	0		Not Filed	\$80,610 (est)	\$3,850
2980	C00546606	LOUIE MINOR FOR CONGRESS	MINOR, LOUIE JR	ANNA VAZQUEZ	\$135,391	0		Not Filed	\$19,342 (est)	\$550
2981	C00545301	MARJORIE 2014	MARGOLIES-MEZVINSKY, MARJORIE	JENNIFER MAY	\$2,918,618	0	3/19/2015	Not Filed	\$6,524	\$330
2982	C00564724	MCCLINE FOR CONGRESS	MCCLINE, JAMEEL	TRINE	\$149,352	0		Not Filed	\$74,676 (est)	\$2,970
2983	C00343590	MECHANICAL CONTRACTORS ASSOCIATION OF AMERICA POLITICAL ACTION COMMITTEE (MCA-PAC)		JOHN, MCNERNEY P.	\$230,556	0	3/3/2015	Not Filed	\$2,873	\$275
2984	C00553420	NEW MEXICANS FOR RICHARD PRIEM	PRIEM, RICHARD G	PATTI RIVAS	\$207,589	0		Not Filed	\$51,897 (est)	\$2,970
2985	C00568246	OUR VOICES MATTER		CHARLES	\$100,037	0		Not Filed	\$100,037 (est)	\$4,950
2986	C00509489	PATRIOT SUPER PAC		THOMAS	\$116,793	-		Not Filed	\$23,359 (est)	\$687
2987	C00261891	REPUBLICAN CENTRAL COMMITTEE OF LOS ANGELES COUNTY (FED. ACCT.)		ALBERT GERSH	\$478,815	ю		Not Filed	\$5,347 (est)	\$577
2988	C00547299	RICHARD BOLGER FOR CONGRESS	BOLGER, RICHARD OWEN	JAMES B. VELTRI	\$235,024	-		Not Filed	\$47,005 (est)	\$1,362
2989	2989 C00549824	ROBLES FOR CONGRESS	ROBLES, LUZ M	SILVIA CASTRO	\$314,322	0	3/11/2015	Not Filed	\$8,543	\$330
2990	2990 C00557694	SCOTT BRION FOR CONGRESS	BRION, SCOTT FLOYD	ERIC J. LOUDENSLAGER	\$385,242	0	3/4/2015	Not Filed	\$11,504	\$550
2991	C00558312	SEND LARA TO CONGRESS	LARA, BRIAN	BRIAN LARA	\$236,197	0		Not Filed	\$59,049 (est)	\$2,970
2662	C00499137	SHARON SUND FOR CONGRESS	SUND, SHARON	EUGENE ROBERSON	\$283,782	-		Not Filed	\$31,531 (est)	\$1,362

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	\$4,950	\$1,090	\$550
	\$137,286 (est)	\$43,526 (est)	\$17,876 (est)
	Not Filed	Not Filed	Not Filed
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	\$411,859	\$261,156	\$107,255
	THOMAS	MICHAEL E. GREENLEAF	LINDA NEUMAN \$107,255
	CARTER, THOMAS G	WALTERS, RONALD NEAL JR	NEUMAN, WESLEY RYAN
	TOM CARTER FOR CONGRESS	2995 C00548701 WALTERS FOR CONGRESS WALTERS.	WES NEUMAN FOR CONGRESS
	2994 C00560649	C00548701	2996 C00553545
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April 03, 2015

DOC MOYLAN GOES TO		AF# 2965
WASHINGTON ELECTION		
COMMITTEE, and ROBERT BEAUVAIS		
as treasurer;		
EMPOWER CITIZENS NETWORK, and)	AF# 2966
ROBERT WAYNE WARTHER as)	
treasurer;)	
ESPERO FOR CONGRESS, and)	AF# 2967
GALLARDE, BRYAN as treasurer;)	
FISCHER FOR CONGRESS, and)	AF# 2968
FANTAUZZI, STACEY J. as treasurer;)	
FLINN FOR SENATE, and LLOYD)	AF# 2969
HETZER as treasurer;)	
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IF HE VOTES LIKE THAT IN SALEM)	AF# 2971
IMAGINE WHAT HE WILL DO IN)	
CONGRESS, and CAROL RUSSELL as)	
treasurer;)	
JAY STAMPER FOR SENATE)	AF# 2972
COMMITTEE, and JEREMY M)	
STAMPER as treasurer;)	
JETT FOR CONGRESS, and LESLIE)	AF# 2973
SUSANNE LANDWERT as treasurer;)	
JILL STEIN FOR PRESIDENT, and)	AF# 2974
MORAN, JAMES as treasurer;)	
JORGE BONILLA FOR US CONGRESS)	AF# 2975
INC, and MAGDALENA BONILLA as	í	
treasurer;	ĺ	
KALEKA FOR CONGRESS, and BELLIN,	Ś	AF# 2976
PETER as treasurer;	í	
KWASMAN FOR CONGRESS, and	í	AF# 2977
KWASMAN, ADAM as treasurer;	í	
LARRY WILSKE FOR CONGRESS, and	í	AF# 2978
STEWART, ANTHONY ELLIOTT as	í	
treasurer;	í	
LORENZO 'LARRY' PALOMARES-	í	AF# 2979
STARBUCK FOR CONGRESS, and ELY	1	11111 2717
CESAR as treasurer;	`	
LOUIE MINOR FOR CONGRESS, and	/	AF# 2980
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ANNA VAZQUEZ as treasurer;)	A E# 2001
MARJORIE 2014, and JENNIFER MAY as	1	AF# 2981
treasurer;)	A T:# 0000
MCCLINE FOR CONGRESS, and TRINE)	AF# 2982
ANDERSEN as treasurer;)	

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MECHANICAL CONTRACTORS)	AF# 2983
ASSOCIATION OF AMERICA)	
POLITICAL ACTION COMMITTEE)	
(MCA-PAC), and JOHN, MCNERNEY P.)	
as treasurer;)	
NEW MEXICANS FOR RICHARD)	AF# 2984
PRIEM, and PATTI RIVAS as treasurer;)	
OUR VOICES MATTER, and CHARLES)	AF# 2985
PASCAL as treasurer;)	
PATRIOT SUPER PAC, and FREILING,)	AF# 2986
THOMAS as treasurer;)	
REPUBLICAN CENTRAL COMMITTEE)	AF# 2987
OF LOS ANGELES COUNTY (FED.)	
ACCT.), and ALBERT GERSH as)	
treasurer;)	
RICHARD BOLGER FOR CONGRESS,)	AF# 2988
and JAMES B. VELTRI as treasurer;)	
ROBLES FOR CONGRESS, and SILVIA)	AF# 2989
CASTRO as treasurer;)	
SCOTT BRION FOR CONGRESS, and)	AF# 2990
ERIC J LOUDENSLAGER as treasurer;)	
SEND LARA TO CONGRESS, and)	AF# 2991
BRIAN LARA as treasurer;)	
SHARON SUND FOR CONGRESS, and)	AF# 2992
ROBERSON, EUGENE as treasurer;)	
TOM CARTER FOR CONGRESS, and)	AF# 2994
CARTER, THOMAS as treasurer;)	
WALTERS FOR CONGRESS, and)	AF# 2995
MICHAEL E GREENLEAF as treasurer;)	
WES NEUMAN FOR CONGRESS, and)	AF# 2996
LINDA NEUMAN as treasurer;)	

CERTIFICATION

I, Shelley E. Garr, Deputy Secretary of the Federal Election Commission, do hereby certify that on April 03, 2015 the Commission took the following actions on the Reason To Believe Recommendation - 2014 Year-End Report of the Administrative Fine Program as recommended in the Reports Analysis Division's Memorandum dated April 01, 2015, on the following committees:

AF#2953 Decided by a vote of 6-0 to: (1) find reason to believe that ABELER4SENATE, and BART J WARD as treasurer violated 52 U.S.C. 30104(a) (formerly 2 U.S.C. 434(a)) and make a preliminary determination that the civil money penalty would be the amount indicated on the report; (2) send the appropriate letter. Commissioners Goodman, Hunter, Petersen, Ravel, Walther, and Weintraub voted affirmatively for the decision.

AF#2955 Decided by a vote of 6-0 to: (1) find reason to believe that BEALE FOR CONGRESS, and STEVEN R BURRIS as treasurer violated 52 U.S.C. 30104(a) (formerly 2 U.S.C. 434(a)) and make a preliminary determination that the civil money penalty would be the amount indicated on the report; (2) send the appropriate letter. Commissioners Goodman, Hunter, Petersen, Ravel, Walther, and Weintraub voted affirmatively for the decision.

AF#2956 Decided by a vote of 6-0 to: (1) find reason to believe that BELIEVE IN LIFE LIBERTY YOURSELF AKA BILLY PAC, and RONALD NEVILLE as treasurer violated 52 U.S.C. 30104(a) (formerly 2 U.S.C. 434(a)) and make a preliminary determination that the civil money penalty would be the amount indicated on the report; (2) send the appropriate letter. Commissioners Goodman, Hunter, Petersen, Ravel, Walther, and Weintraub voted affirmatively for the decision.

AF#2958 Decided by a vote of 6-0 to: (1) find reason to believe that CALVIN D TURNQUEST FOR CONGRESS, and OLIVIA OUTMEZGUINE as treasurer violated 52 U.S.C. 30104(a) (formerly 2 U.S.C. 434(a)) and make a preliminary determination that the civil money penalty would be the amount indicated on the report; (2) send the appropriate letter. Commissioners Goodman, Hunter, Petersen, Ravel, Walther, and Weintraub voted affirmatively for the decision.

AF#2959 Decided by a vote of 6-0 to: (1) find reason to believe that CAM CAVASSO FOR U S SENATE, and RAYNETTE K NICHOLSON as treasurer violated 52 U.S.C. 30104(a) (formerly 2 U.S.C. 434(a)) and make a preliminary determination that the civil money penalty would be the amount indicated on the report; (2) send the appropriate letter. Commissioners Goodman, Hunter, Petersen, Ravel, Walther, and Weintraub voted affirmatively for the decision.

AF#2960 Decided by a vote of 6-0 to: (1) find reason to believe that CICOTTE FOR CONGRESS, and GEORGE FREDERICK CICOTTE as treasurer violated 52 U.S.C. 30104(a) (formerly 2 U.S.C. 434(a)) and make a preliminary determination that the civil money penalty would be the amount indicated on the report; (2) send the appropriate letter. Commissioners Goodman, Hunter, Petersen, Ravel, Walther, and Weintraub voted affirmatively for the decision.

AF#2961 Decided by a vote of 6-0 to: (1) find reason to believe that CUBIST PHARMACEUTICALS INC. PAC (CUBIST PAC), and MARK BATTALIGNI as treasurer violated 52 U.S.C. 30104(a) (formerly 2 U.S.C. 434(a)) and make a preliminary determination that the civil money penalty would be the amount indicated on the report; (2) send the appropriate letter. Commissioners Goodman, Hunter, Petersen, Ravel, Walther, and Weintraub voted affirmatively for the decision.

AF#2962 Decided by a vote of 6-0 to: (1) find reason to believe that DAN FREI FOR CONGRESS, and SAKALOSKY, MATTHEW as treasurer violated 52 U.S.C. 30104(a) (formerly 2 U.S.C. 434(a)) and make a preliminary determination that the civil money penalty would be the amount indicated on the report; (2) send the appropriate letter. Commissioners Goodman, Hunter, Petersen, Ravel, Walther, and Weintraub voted affirmatively for the decision.

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AF#2964 Decided by a vote of 6-0 to: (1) find reason to believe that DEMOCRATIC FOUNDATION OF ORANGE COUNTY, and HATTON, GLEN as treasurer violated 52 U.S.C. 30104(a) (formerly 2 U.S.C. 434(a)) and make a preliminary determination that the civil money penalty would be the amount indicated on the report; (2) send the appropriate letter. Commissioners Goodman, Hunter, Petersen, Ravel, Walther, and Weintraub voted affirmatively for the decision.

AF#2965 Decided by a vote of 6-0 to: (1) find reason to believe that DOC MOYLAN GOES TO WASHINGTON ELECTION COMMITTEE, and ROBERT BEAUVAIS as treasurer violated 52 U.S.C. 30104(a) (formerly 2 U.S.C. 434(a)) and make a preliminary determination that the civil money penalty would be the amount indicated on the report; (2) send the appropriate letter. Commissioners Goodman, Hunter, Petersen, Ravel, Walther, and Weintraub voted affirmatively for the decision.

AF#2966 Decided by a vote of 6-0 to: (1) find reason to believe that EMPOWER CITIZENS NETWORK, and ROBERT WAYNE WARTHER as treasurer violated 52 U.S.C. 30104(a) (formerly 2 U.S.C. 434(a)) and make a preliminary determination that the civil money penalty would be the amount indicated on the report; (2) send the appropriate letter. Commissioners Goodman, Hunter, Petersen, Ravel, Walther, and Weintraub voted affirmatively for the decision.

AF#2967 Decided by a vote of 6-0 to: (1) find reason to believe that ESPERO FOR CONGRESS, and GALLARDE, BRYAN as treasurer violated 52 U.S.C. 30104(a) (formerly 2 U.S.C. 434(a)) and make a preliminary determination that the civil money penalty would be the amount indicated on the report; (2) send the appropriate letter. Commissioners Goodman, Hunter, Petersen, Ravel, Walther, and Weintraub voted affirmatively for the decision.

AF#2968 Decided by a vote of 6-0 to: (1) find reason to believe that FISCHER FOR CONGRESS, and FANTAUZZI, STACEY J. as treasurer violated 52 U.S.C. 30104(a) (formerly 2 U.S.C. 434(a)) and make a preliminary determination that the civil money penalty would be the amount indicated on the report; (2) send the appropriate letter. Commissioners Goodman, Hunter, Petersen, Ravel, Walther, and Weintraub voted affirmatively for the decision.

AF#2969 Decided by a vote of 6-0 to: (1) find reason to believe that FLINN FOR SENATE, and LLOYD HETZER as treasurer violated 52 U.S.C. 30104(a) (formerly 2 U.S.C. 434(a)) and make a preliminary determination that the civil money penalty would be the amount indicated on the report; (2) send the appropriate letter. Commissioners Goodman, Hunter, Petersen, Ravel, Walther, and Weintraub voted affirmatively for the decision.

AF#2971 Decided by a vote of 6-0 to: (1) find reason to believe that IF HE VOTES LIKE THAT IN SALEM IMAGINE WHAT HE WILL DO IN CONGRESS, and CAROL RUSSELL as treasurer violated 52 U.S.C. 30104(a) (formerly 2 U.S.C. 434(a)) and make a preliminary determination that the civil money penalty would be the amount indicated on the report; (2) send the appropriate letter. Commissioners Goodman, Hunter, Petersen, Ravel, Walther, and Weintraub voted affirmatively for the decision.

AF#2972 Decided by a vote of 6-0 to: (1) find reason to believe that JAY STAMPER FOR SENATE COMMITTEE, and JEREMY M STAMPER as treasurer violated 52 U.S.C. 30104(a) (formerly 2 U.S.C. 434(a)) and make a preliminary determination that the civil money penalty would be the amount indicated on the report; (2) send the appropriate letter. Commissioners Goodman, Hunter, Petersen, Ravel, Walther, and Weintraub voted affirmatively for the decision.

AF#2973 Decided by a vote of 6-0 to: (1) find reason to believe that JETT FOR CONGRESS, and LESLIE SUSANNE LANDWERT as treasurer violated 52 U.S.C. 30104(a) (formerly 2 U.S.C. 434(a)) and make a preliminary determination that the civil money penalty would be the amount indicated on the report; (2) send the appropriate letter. Commissioners Goodman, Hunter, Petersen, Ravel, Walther, and Weintraub voted affirmatively for the decision.

AF#2974 Decided by a vote of 6-0 to: (1) find reason to believe that JILL STEIN FOR PRESIDENT, and MORAN, JAMES as treasurer violated 52 U.S.C. 30104(a) (formerly 2 U.S.C. 434(a)) and make a preliminary determination that the civil money penalty would be the amount indicated on the report; (2) send the appropriate letter. Commissioners Goodman, Hunter, Petersen, Ravel, Walther, and Weintraub voted affirmatively for the decision.

AF#2975 Decided by a vote of 6-0 to: (1) find reason to believe that JORGE BONILLA FOR US CONGRESS INC, and MAGDALENA BONILLA as treasurer violated 52 U.S.C. 30104(a) (formerly 2 U.S.C. 434(a)) and make a preliminary determination that the civil money penalty would be the amount indicated on the report; (2) send the appropriate letter. Commissioners Goodman, Hunter, Petersen, Ravel, Walther, and Weintraub voted affirmatively for the decision.

AF#2976 Decided by a vote of 6-0 to: (1) find reason to believe that KALEKA FOR CONGRESS, and BELLIN, PETER as treasurer violated 52 U.S.C. 30104(a) (formerly 2 U.S.C. 434(a)) and make a preliminary determination that the civil money penalty would be the amount indicated on the report; (2) send the appropriate letter. Commissioners

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Goodman, Hunter, Petersen, Ravel, Walther, and Weintraub voted affirmatively for the decision.

AF#2977 Decided by a vote of 6-0 to: (1) find reason to believe that KWASMAN FOR CONGRESS, and KWASMAN, ADAM as treasurer violated 52 U.S.C. 30104(a) (formerly 2 U.S.C. 434(a)) and make a preliminary determination that the civil money penalty would be the amount indicated on the report; (2) send the appropriate letter. Commissioners Goodman, Hunter, Petersen, Ravel, Walther, and Weintraub voted affirmatively for the decision.

AF#2978 Decided by a vote of 6-0 to: (1) find reason to believe that LARRY WILSKE FOR CONGRESS, and STEWART, ANTHONY ELLIOTT as treasurer violated 52 U.S.C. 30104(a) (formerly 2 U.S.C. 434(a)) and make a preliminary determination that the civil money penalty would be the amount indicated on the report; (2) send the appropriate letter. Commissioners Goodman, Hunter, Petersen, Ravel, Walther, and Weintraub voted affirmatively for the decision.

AF#2979 Decided by a vote of 6-0 to: (1) find reason to believe that LORENZO 'LARRY' PALOMARES-STARBUCK FOR CONGRESS, and ELY CESAR as treasurer violated 52 U.S.C. 30104(a) (formerly 2 U.S.C. 434(a)) and make a preliminary determination that the civil money penalty would be the amount indicated on the report; (2) send the appropriate letter. Commissioners Goodman, Hunter, Petersen, Ravel, Walther, and Weintraub voted affirmatively for the decision.

AF#2980 Decided by a vote of 6-0 to: (1) find reason to believe that LOUIE MINOR FOR CONGRESS, and ANNA VAZQUEZ as treasurer violated 52 U.S.C. 30104(a) (formerly 2 U.S.C. 434(a)) and make a preliminary determination that the civil money penalty would be the amount indicated on the report; (2) send the appropriate letter. Commissioners Goodman, Hunter, Petersen, Ravel, Walther, and Weintraub voted affirmatively for the decision.

AF#2981 Decided by a vote of 6-0 to: (1) find reason to believe that MARJORIE 2014, and JENNIFER MAY as treasurer violated 52 U.S.C. 30104(a) (formerly 2 U.S.C. 434(a)) and make a preliminary determination that the civil money penalty would be the amount indicated on the report; (2) send the appropriate letter. Commissioners Goodman, Hunter, Petersen, Ravel, Walther, and Weintraub voted affirmatively for the decision.

AF#2982 Decided by a vote of 6-0 to: (1) find reason to believe that MCCLINE FOR CONGRESS, and TRINE ANDERSEN as treasurer violated 52 U.S.C. 30104(a) (formerly 2 U.S.C. 434(a)) and make a preliminary determination that the civil money penalty would be the amount indicated on the report; (2) send the appropriate letter. Commissioners Goodman, Hunter, Petersen, Ravel, Walther, and Weintraub voted affirmatively for the decision.

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AF#2983 Decided by a vote of 6-0 to: (1) find reason to believe that MECHANICAL CONTRACTORS ASSOCIATION OF AMERICA POLITICAL ACTION COMMITTEE (MCA-PAC), and JOHN, MCNERNEY P. as treasurer violated 52 U.S.C. 30104(a) (formerly 2 U.S.C. 434(a)) and make a preliminary determination that the civil money penalty would be the amount indicated on the report; (2) send the appropriate letter. Commissioners Goodman, Hunter, Petersen, Ravel, Walther, and Weintraub voted affirmatively for the decision.

AF#2984 Decided by a vote of 6-0 to: (1) find reason to believe that NEW MEXICANS FOR RICHARD PRIEM, and PATTI RIVAS as treasurer violated 52 U.S.C. 30104(a) (formerly 2 U.S.C. 434(a)) and make a preliminary determination that the civil money penalty would be the amount indicated on the report; (2) send the appropriate letter. Commissioners Goodman, Hunter, Petersen, Ravel, Walther, and Weintraub voted affirmatively for the decision.

AF#2985 Decided by a vote of 6-0 to: (1) find reason to believe that OUR VOICES MATTER, and CHARLES PASCAL as treasurer violated 52 U.S.C. 30104(a) (formerly 2 U.S.C. 434(a)) and make a preliminary determination that the civil money penalty would be the amount indicated on the report; (2) send the appropriate letter. Commissioners Goodman, Hunter, Petersen, Ravel, Walther, and Weintraub voted affirmatively for the decision.

AF#2986 Decided by a vote of 6-0 to: (1) find reason to believe that PATRIOT SUPER PAC, and FREILING, THOMAS as treasurer violated 52 U.S.C. 30104(a) (formerly 2 U.S.C. 434(a)) and make a preliminary determination that the civil money penalty would be the amount indicated on the report; (2) send the appropriate letter. Commissioners Goodman, Hunter, Petersen, Ravel, Walther, and Weintraub voted affirmatively for the decision.

AF#2987 Decided by a vote of 6-0 to: (1) find reason to believe that REPUBLICAN CENTRAL COMMITTEE OF LOS ANGELES COUNTY (FED. ACCT.), and ALBERT GERSH as treasurer violated 52 U.S.C. 30104(a) (formerly 2 U.S.C. 434(a)) and make a preliminary determination that the civil money penalty would be the amount indicated on the report; (2) send the appropriate letter. Commissioners Goodman, Hunter, Petersen, Ravel, Walther, and Weintraub voted affirmatively for the decision.

AF#2988 Decided by a vote of 6-0 to: (1) find reason to believe that RICHARD BOLGER FOR CONGRESS, and JAMES B. VELTRI as treasurer violated 52 U.S.C. 30104(a) (formerly 2 U.S.C. 434(a)) and make a preliminary determination that the civil money penalty would be the amount indicated on the report; (2) send the appropriate letter. Commissioners Goodman, Hunter, Petersen, Ravel, Walther, and Weintraub voted affirmatively for the decision.

AF#2989 Decided by a vote of 6-0 to: (1) find reason to believe that ROBLES FOR CONGRESS, and SILVIA CASTRO as treasurer violated 52 U.S.C. 30104(a) (formerly

2 U.S.C. 434(a)) and make a preliminary determination that the civil money penalty would be the amount indicated on the report; (2) send the appropriate letter. Commissioners Goodman, Hunter, Petersen, Ravel, Walther, and Weintraub voted affirmatively for the decision.

AF#2990 Decided by a vote of 6-0 to: (1) find reason to believe that SCOTT BRION FOR CONGRESS, and ERIC J LOUDENSLAGER as treasurer violated 52 U.S.C. 30104(a) (formerly 2 U.S.C. 434(a)) and make a preliminary determination that the civil money penalty would be the amount indicated on the report; (2) send the appropriate letter. Commissioners Goodman, Hunter, Petersen, Ravel, Walther, and Weintraub voted affirmatively for the decision.

AF#2991 Decided by a vote of 6-0 to: (1) find reason to believe that SEND LARA TO CONGRESS, and BRIAN LARA as treasurer violated 52 U.S.C. 30104(a) (formerly 2 U.S.C. 434(a)) and make a preliminary determination that the civil money penalty would be the amount indicated on the report; (2) send the appropriate letter. Commissioners Goodman, Hunter, Petersen, Ravel, Walther, and Weintraub voted affirmatively for the decision.

AF#2992 Decided by a vote of 6-0 to: (1) find reason to believe that SHARON SUND FOR CONGRESS, and ROBERSON, EUGENE as treasurer violated 52 U.S.C. 30104(a) (formerly 2 U.S.C. 434(a)) and make a preliminary determination that the civil money penalty would be the amount indicated on the report; (2) send the appropriate letter. Commissioners Goodman, Hunter, Petersen, Ravel, Walther, and Weintraub voted affirmatively for the decision.

AF#2994 Decided by a vote of 6-0 to: (1) find reason to believe that TOM CARTER FOR CONGRESS, and CARTER, THOMAS as treasurer violated 52 U.S.C. 30104(a) (formerly 2 U.S.C. 434(a)) and make a preliminary determination that the civil money penalty would be the amount indicated on the report; (2) send the appropriate letter. Commissioners Goodman, Hunter, Petersen, Ravel, Walther, and Weintraub voted affirmatively for the decision.

AF#2995 Decided by a vote of 6-0 to: (1) find reason to believe that WALTERS FOR CONGRESS, and MICHAEL E GREENLEAF as treasurer violated 52 U.S.C. 30104(a) (formerly 2 U.S.C. 434(a)) and make a preliminary determination that the civil money penalty would be the amount indicated on the report; (2) send the appropriate

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letter. Commissioners Goodman, Hunter, Petersen, Ravel, Walther, and Weintraub voted affirmatively for the decision.

AF#2996 Decided by a vote of 6-0 to: (1) find reason to believe that WES NEUMAN FOR CONGRESS, and LINDA NEUMAN as treasurer violated 52 U.S.C. 30104(a) (formerly 2 U.S.C. 434(a)) and make a preliminary determination that the civil money penalty would be the amount indicated on the report; (2) send the appropriate letter. Commissioners Goodman, Hunter, Petersen, Ravel, Walther, and Weintraub voted affirmatively for the decision.

Attest:

Shelley E. Garr

Deputy Secretary of the Commission



April 6, 2015

Patti Rivas, in official capacity as Treasurer New Mexicans for Richard Priem 5801 Eubank NE #227 Albuquerque, NM 87111

C00553420 AF#: 2984

Dear Ms. Rivas:

The Federal Election Campaign Act of 1971, as amended ("the Act"), requires that your committee file a Year-End Report of Receipts and Disbursements every calendar year. This report, covering the period October 1, 2014 through December 31, 2014, was due no later than January 31, 2015. 52 U.S.C. § 30104(a). Records at the Federal Election Commission ("FEC") indicate that this report was not filed within thirty (30) days of the due date. You should file this report if you have not already done so.

The Act permits the FEC to impose civil money penalties for violations of the reporting requirements of 52 U.S.C. § 30104(a). 52 U.S.C. § 30109(a)(4). On April 3, 2015, the FEC found that there is reason to believe ("RTB") that New Mexicans for Richard Priem and you, in your official capacity as treasurer, violated 52 U.S.C. § 30104(a) by failing to file timely this report on or before January 31, 2015 Based on the FEC's schedules of civil money penalties at 11 CFR § 111.43, the amount of your civil money penalty calculated at the RTB stage is \$2,970. Please see the attached copy of the Commission's administrative fine regulations at 11 CFR §§ 111.30-111.55. Attachment 1. The Commission's website contains further information about how the administrative fine program works and how the fines are calculated. See http://www.fec.gov/af/af.shtml. 11 CFR § 111.34. Your payment of \$2,970 is due within forty (40) days of the finding, or by May 13, 2015, and is based on these factors:

Sensitivity of Report: Not Election Sensitive

Level of Activity: \$51,897

Number of Days Late: Not Filed

Number of Previous Civil Money Penalties Assessed: 0

At this juncture, the following courses of action are available to you:

1. If You Choose to Challenge the RTB Finding and/or Civil Money Penalty

If you should decide to challenge the RTB finding and/or calculated civil money penalty, you must submit a written response to the FEC's Office of Administrative Review, 999 E Street, NW, Washington, DC 20463. Your response must include the AF# (found at the top of page 1 under your committee's identification number) and be received within forty (40) days of the

Commission's RTB finding, or May 13, 2015. 11 CFR § 111.35(a). Your written response must include the reason(s) why you are challenging the RTB finding and/or calculated civil money penalty, and must include the factual basis supporting the reason(s) and supporting documentation. The FEC strongly encourages that documents be submitted in the form of affidavits or declarations. 11 CFR § 111.36(c).

The FEC will only consider challenges that are based on at least one of three grounds: (1) a factual error in the RTB finding; (2) miscalculation of the calculated civil money penalty by the FEC; or (3) your demonstrated use of best efforts to file in a timely manner when prevented from doing so by reasonably unforeseen circumstances that were beyond your control. 11 CFR § 111.35(b). In order for a challenge to be considered on the basis of best efforts, you must have filed the required report no later than 24 hours after the end of these reasonably unforeseen circumstances. Id. Examples of circumstances that will be considered reasonably unforeseen and beyond your control include, but are not limited to: (1) a failure of Commission computers or Commission-provided software despite your seeking technical assistance from Commission personnel and resources; (2) a widespread disruption of information transmissions over the Internet that is not caused by a failure of the Commission's or your computer systems or Internet service provider; and (3) severe weather or other disaster-related incident. 11 CFR § 111.35(c). Examples of circumstances that will not be considered reasonably unforeseen and beyond your control include, but are not limited to: (1) negligence; (2) delays caused by vendors or contractors; (3) treasurer and staff illness, inexperience or unavailability; (4) committee computer, software, or Internet service provider failures; (5) failure to know filing dates; and (6) failure to use filing software properly. 11 CFR § 111.35(d).

The "failure to raise an argument in a timely fashion during the administrative process shall be deemed a waiver" of your right to present such argument in a petition to the U.S. District Court under 52 U.S.C. § 30109. 11 CFR § 111.38.

If you intend to be represented by counsel, please advise the Office of Administrative Review. You should provide, in writing, the name, address and telephone number of your counsel and authorize counsel to receive notifications and communications relating to this challenge and imposition of the calculated civil money penalty.

2. If You Choose Not to Pay the Civil Money Penalty and Not to Submit a Challenge

If you do not pay the calculated civil money penalty and do not submit a written response, the FEC will assume that the preceding factual allegations are true and make a final determination that New Mexicans for Richard Priem and you, in your official capacity as treasurer, violated 52 U.S.C. § 30104(a) and assess a civil money penalty.

Unpaid civil money penalties assessed through the Administrative Fine regulations will be subject to the Debt Collection Act of 1982 ("DCA"), as amended by the Debt Collection Improvement Act of 1996, 31 U.S.C. § 3701 et seq. The FEC may take any and all appropriate action authorized and required by the DCA, as amended, including transfer to the U.S. Department of the Treasury for collection. 11 CFR § 111.51(a)(2).

3. If You Choose to Pay the Civil Money Penalty

If you should decide to pay the calculated civil money penalty, send the enclosed remittance form, along with your payment, to the FEC at the address on page 4. Upon receipt of your payment, the FEC will send you a final determination letter.

NOTICE REGARDING PARTIAL PAYMENTS AND SETTLEMENT OFFERS

4. Partial Payments

If you make a payment in an amount less than the calculated civil money penalty, the amount of your partial payment will be credited towards the full civil money penalty that the Commission assesses upon making a final determination.

5. Settlement Offers

Any offer to settle or compromise a debt owed to the Commission, including making a payment in an amount less than the calculated civil money penalty assessed or any restrictive endorsements contained on your check or money order or proposed in correspondence transmitted with your check or money order, will be rejected. Acceptance and deposit or cashing of such a restricted payment does not constitute acceptance of the settlement offer. Payments containing restrictive endorsements will be deposited and treated as a partial payment towards the civil money penalty that the Commission assesses upon making a final determination. All unpaid civil money penalty amounts remaining will be subject to the debt collection procedures set forth in Section 2, above.

This matter was generated based on information ascertained by the FEC in the normal course of carrying out its supervisory responsibilities. 52 U.S.C. § 30109(a)(2). Unless you notify the FEC in writing that you wish the matter to be made public, it will remain confidential in accordance with 52 U.S.C. § 30109(a)(4)(B) and 30109(a)(12)(A) until it is placed on the public record at the conclusion of this matter in accordance with 11 CFR § 111.42.

As noted earlier, you may obtain additional information on the FEC's administrative fine program, including the final regulations, on the FEC's website at http://www.fec.gov/af/af.shtml. If you have questions regarding the payment of the calculated civil money penalty, please contact Sari Pickerall in the Reports Analysis Division at our toll free number (800) 424-9530 (at the prompt press 5) or (202) 694-1130. If you have questions regarding the submission of a challenge, please contact the Office of Administrative Review at our toll free number (800) 424-9530 (press 0, then ext. 1660) or (202) 694-1660.

On behalf of the Commission,

In M Ravel

Ann M. Ravel

Chair

ADMINISTRATIVE FINE REMITTANCE & PAYMENT INSTRUCTIONS

In accordance with the schedule of penalties at 11 CFR § 111.43, the amount of your civil money penalty calculated at RTB is \$2,970 for the 2014 Year-End Report.

Please mail this remittance with a check or money order made payable to the Federal Election Commission to the following address:

Federal Election Commission P.O. Box 979058 St. Louis, MO 63197-9000

If you choose to send your remittance and payment by courier or overnight delivery, please use this address:

U.S. Bank - Government Lockbox FEC #979058 1005 Convention Plaza Attn: Government Lockbox, SL-MO-C2GL St. Louis, MO 63101

The remittance and your payment are due by May 13, 2015. Upon receipt of your remittance and payment, the FEC will send you a final determination letter.

PAYMENTS BY PERSONAL CHECK

Personal checks will be converted into electronic funds transfers (EFTS). Your account will be electronically debited for the amount on your check, usually within 24 hours, and the debit will appear on your regular statement. We will destroy your original check and keep a copy of it. In case the EFT cannot be processed for technical reasons, you authorize us to process the copy in lieu of the original check. Should the EFT not be completed because of insufficient funds, we may try to make the transfer twice.

PLEASE DETACH AND RETURN THE PORTION BELOW WITH YOUR PAYMENT

FOR: New Mexicans for Richard Priem

FEC ID#: C00553420

AF#: 2984

PAYMENT DUE DATE: May 13, 2015

PAYMENT AMOUNT DUE: \$2,970



FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION WASHINGTON, D.C. 20463

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August 19, 2015

SENSITIVE **MEMORANDUM**

TO:

The Commission

THROUGH:

Alec Palmer

Staff Director F

FROM:

Patricia C. Orrock

Chief Compliance Officer

Debbie Chacona Assistant Staff Director Reports Analysis Division

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BY:

Kristin D. Roser/Sari Pickerall

Reports Analysis Division

Compliance Branch

SUBJECT:

Administrative Fine Program - Final Determination Recommendation for the

2014 Year-End Report

Attached are two lists of political committees and their treasurers against which the Commission has found reason to believe (RTB) and assessed proposed civil money penalties calculated at RTB for failure to file or failure to timely file the 2014 Year-End Report. The first list represents the committees that have paid the civil money penalty and the second list represents the committees that have not paid the civil money penalty. The committees that have not paid have been given at least forty (40) days from the date of the Commission's RTB finding to remit payment.

In accordance with 11 CFR § 111.34 and 11 CFR § 111.40, the Commission shall send a final determination notice to those respondents that have either paid or not paid the civil money penalty.

For your information, sixteen (16) committees disclosed a level of activity after the RTB finding which would result in a lowered civil money penalty. Of these, nine (9) committees will not be assessed a civil money penalty at FD. An overview of each of these cases has been provided below.

Beale for Congress (AF 2955) filed the 2014 Year-End Report after the RTB finding and disclosed no activity (previously estimated to be \$92,359), which would result in no civil money penalty (fine previously assessed to be \$8,862).

Cam Cavasso for US Senate (AF 2959) filed the 2014 Year-End Report after the RTB finding and disclosed an actual level of activity which would result in a lowered civil money penalty than that assessed at RTB. The committee disclosed total receipts and disbursements of \$1,387 (previously estimated to be \$62,806), thus the fine would be lowered from \$2,970 to \$275.

Cicotte for Congress (AF 2960) filed a Termination Report with coverage dates including the 2014 Year-End period after the RTB finding and disclosed an actual level of activity which would result in a lowered civil money penalty than that assessed at RTB. The committee disclosed total receipts and disbursements of \$417 (previously estimated to be \$113,437), thus the fine would be lowered from \$4,950 to \$275.

Cubist Pharmaceuticals Inc. PAC (CUBIST PAC) (AF 2961) filed the 2014 Year-End Report after the RTB finding and disclosed an actual level of activity which would result in a lowered civil money penalty than that assessed at RTB. The committee disclosed total receipts and disbursements of \$6,974 (previously estimated to be \$17,685), thus the fine would be lowered from \$550 to \$330. The committee paid the civil money penalty assessed at RTB; we will therefore issue a refund for the difference (\$220).

Dan Frei for Congress (AF 2962) filed the 2014 Year-End Report after the RTB finding and disclosed no activity (previously estimated to be \$20,544), which would result in no civil money penalty (fine previously assessed to be \$550).

Empower Citizens Network (AF 2966) filed the 2014 Year-End Report after the RTB finding and disclosed an actual level of activity which would result in a lowered civil money penalty than that assessed at RTB. The committee disclosed total receipts and disbursements of \$24 (previously estimated to be \$20,414), thus the fine would be lowered from \$550 to \$24.

Fischer for Congress (AF 2968) filed the 2014 Year-End Report after the RTB finding and disclosed an actual level of activity which would result in a lowered civil money penalty than that assessed at RTB. The committee disclosed total receipts and disbursements of \$2,522 (previously estimated to be \$49,592), thus the fine would be lowered from \$1,090 to \$275.

Jett for Congress (AF 2973) filed a Termination Report with coverage dates including the 2014 Year-End period after the RTB finding and disclosed no activity (previously estimated to be \$37,833), which would result in no civil money penalty (fine previously assessed to be \$1,090).

Jill Stein for President (AF 2974) disclosed no activity after the RTB finding (previously estimated to be \$11,537), which would result in no civil money penalty (fine previously assessed to be \$1,237).

Lorenzo 'Larry' Palomares-Starbuck for Congress (AF 2979) disclosed no activity after the RTB finding (previously estimated to be \$80,610), which would result in no civil money penalty (fine previously assessed to be \$3,850).

New Mexicans for Richard Priem (AF 2984) disclosed no activity after the RTB finding (previously estimated to be \$51,897), which would result in no civil money penalty (fine previously assessed to be \$2,970).

Richard Bolger for Congress (AF 2988) filed a Termination Report with coverage dates including the 2014 Year-End period after the RTB finding and disclosed no activity (previously estimated to be \$47,005), which would result in no civil money penalty (fine previously assessed to be \$1,362).

Send Lara to Congress (AF 2991) filed the 2014 Year-End Report after the RTB finding and disclosed an actual level of activity which would result in a lowered civil money penalty than that assessed at RTB. The committee disclosed total receipts and disbursements of \$30,243 (previously estimated to be \$59,049), thus the fine would be lowered from \$2,970 to \$1,090.

Tom Carter for Congress (AF 2994) disclosed no activity after the RTB finding (previously estimated to be \$137,286), which would result in no civil money penalty (fine previously assessed to be \$4,950).

Walters for Congress (AF 2995) filed the 2014 Year-End Report after the RTB finding and disclosed no activity (previously estimated to be \$43,526), which would result in no civil money penalty (fine previously assessed to be \$1,090).

Wes Neuman for Congress (AF 2996) filed a Termination Report with coverage dates including the 2014 Year-End period after the RTB finding and disclosed an actual level of activity which would result in a lowered civil money penalty than that assessed at RTB. The committee disclosed total receipts and disbursements of \$105 (previously estimated to be \$17,876), thus the fine would be lowered from \$550 to \$105. The committee paid the civil money penalty assessed at RTB; we will therefore issue a refund for the difference (\$445).

Also, three (3) committees detailed below designated a new Treasurer after the RTB finding:

• Cubist Pharmaceuticals Inc. PAC (CUBIST PAC) (AF 2961) filed an Amended Statement of Organization after the RTB finding designating Victoria Adams as Treasurer (see first list).

- Larry Wilske for Congress (AF 2978) filed an Amended Statement of Organization after the RTB finding designating Larry Wilske as Treasurer (see first list).
- Republican Central Committee of Los Angeles County (Fed. Acct.) (AF 2987) filed an Amended Statement of Organization after the RTB finding designating John Goya as Treasurer (see second list).

RAD Recommendation

- (1) Make a final determination that the political committees and their treasurers listed on the attached reports violated 52 U.S.C. § 30104(a) and assess the final civil money penalties so indicated.
- (2) Make a final determination that the political committees and their treasurers listed on the attached reports with no activity, violated 52 U.S.C. § 30104(a) and will not be assessed a civil money penalty.
- (3) Send the appropriate letters.

Federal Election Commission
FD Circulation Report Fine Paid
2014 YEAR-END Not Election Sensitive 01/31/2015 H_S_P_UNAUTH

AF#	Committee Name	Candidate Name	Committee	Treasurer	Receipt Date	Days Late	LOA	Δ.	RTB Date	RTB Penalty	RTB Penalty Final Money Penalty		Amount Paid
2953	ABELER4SENATE	ABELER, JAMES J	C00546630	BART J WARD	03/06/2015	Not Filed	\$8,601	0	04/03/2015	\$330	\$330	04/17/2015	\$330
2956	YOURSELF AKA BILLY PAC		C00559146	RONALD NEVILLE	04/07/2015	Not Filed	\$14,860	0	04/03/2015	\$550	055\$	05/01/2015	\$550
2961			C00460238	VICTORIA ADAMS	04/10/2015	Not Filed	\$6,974	0	04/03/2015	\$550	\$330	5/20/2015	\$550*
2977	2977 KWASMAN FOR CONGRESS KWASMAN, ADAM CHARLES C00552992	KWASMAN, ADAM CHARLES	C00552992	ADAM KWASMAN	02/19/2015	19	\$21,000	0	04/03/2015	\$205	\$205	06/16/2015	\$205
2978	LARRY WILSKE FOR CONGRESS	WILSKE, LARRY ALBERT	C00553958	LARRY WILSKE	02/27/2015	72	\$715	0	04/03/2015	\$162	\$162	07/06/2015	\$162
2981	MARJORIE 2014	MARGOLIES-MEZVINSKY, MARJORIE	C00545301	JENNIFER MAY	03/19/2015	Not Filed	\$6,254	0	04/03/2015	\$330	\$330	5/19/2015	\$330
2983	MECHANICAL CONTRACTORS ASSOCIATION OF AMERICA POLITICAL ACTION COMMITTEE (MCA-PAC)		C00343590	JOHN P. MCNERNEY	03/03/2015	Not Filed	\$2.873	0	04/03/2015	\$275	\$275	05/14/2015	\$275
2989	ROBLES FOR CONGRESS	ROBLES, LUZ M	C00549824	SILVIA CASTRO	03/11/2015	Not Filed	\$8,543	0	04/03/2015	\$330	\$330	04/21/2015	\$330
2990	SCOTT BRION FOR CONGRESS	BRION, SCOTT FLOYD	C00557694	ERIC J LOUDENSLAGER	03/04/2015	Not Filed	\$11,504	0	04/03/2015	\$550	\$550	04/14/2015	\$550
2996	WES NEUMAN FOR CONGRESS	NEUMAN, WESLEY RYAN	C00553545	LINDA NEUMAN	04/20/2015	Not Filed	\$105	0	04/03/2015	\$550	\$105	4/24/2015	\$550

^{*} This committee disclosed a level of activity after the RTB finding which would result in a towered civil money penalty and will be assessed a civil money penalty at Final Determination (FD) that has been reduced since the RTB finding. This committee paid the civil money penalty assessed at RTB; therefore, we will issue a refund for the difference.

Federal Election Commission
FD Circulation Report Fine Not Paid
2014 YEAR-END Not Election Sensitive 01/31/2015 H_S_P_UNAUTH

FD Penalty	NONE	\$1,362	\$275	\$275	NONE	\$1,090	\$275	\$24	\$1,090	\$275	\$687	NONE	NONE	\$4,455	\$2,970	NONE	\$550	\$2,970	NONE	\$4,950	\$687	\$577	NONE	\$1,090	\$1,362	NONE	NONE
Days Since RTB	138	138	138	138	138	138	138	138	138	138	138	138	138	138	138	138	138	138	138	138	138	138	138	138	138	138	138
RTB Penalty	29'8\$	\$1,362	\$2.970	\$4.950	\$550	\$1,090	\$275	\$550	\$1,090	\$1,090	\$687	\$1,090	\$1,237	\$4,455	\$2,970	\$3.850	\$550	\$2,970	\$2,970	\$4,950	\$687	\$577	\$1,362	\$2,970	\$1,362	\$4,950	\$1,090
	04/03/2015	04/03/2015	04/03/2015	04/03/2015	04/03/2015	04/03/2015	04/03/2015	04/03/2015	04/03/2015	04/03/2015	04/03/2015	04/03/2015	04/03/2015	04/03/2015	04/03/2015	04/03/2015	04/03/2015	04/03/2015	04/03/2015	04/03/2015	04/03/2015	04/03/2015	04/03/2015	04/03/2015	04/03/2015	04/03/2015	04/03/2015
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רסע	\$0	\$37,655 (est)	\$1,387	\$417	08	\$42,187 (est)	\$1,000	\$24	\$45.034 (est)	\$2,522	\$20.874 (est)	80	80	\$54,191 (est)	\$62,595 (est)	80	\$19,342 (est)	\$74.676 (est)	80	\$100,037 (est)	\$23,359 (est)	\$15,311	0\$	\$30,243	\$31,531 (est)	\$0	30
Days Late	Not Filed	Not Filed	Not Filed	Not Filed	Not Filed	Not Filed	Not Filed	Not Filed	Not Filed	Not Filed	Not Filed	Not Filed	Not Filed	Not Filed	Not Filed	Not Filed	Not Filed	Not Filed	Not Filed	Not Filed	Not Filed	Not Filed	Not Filed	Not Filed	Not Filed	Not Filed	Not Filed
Receipt	06/13/2015		04/15/2015	04/07/2015	04/13/2015		03/16/2015	04/07/2015		04/15/2015		04/29/2015	•									04/11/2015	06/09/2015	05/11/2015			04/15/2015
Treasurer	STEVEN R BURRIS	OLIVIA OUTMEZGUINE	RAYNETTE K NICHOLSON	GEORGE FREDERICK	MATTHEW SAKALOSKY	GLEN HATTON	ROBERT BEAUVAIS	ROBERT WAYNE WARTHER	BRYAN GALLARDE	STACEY J. FANTAUZZI	JEREMY M. STAMPER	LESLIE SUSANNE LANDWERT	JAMES MORAN	MAGDALENA BONILLA	PETER BELLIN	ELY CESAR	ANNA VAZQUEZ	TRINE ANDERSEN	PATTI RIVAS	CHARLES PASCAL	THOMAS FREILING	JOHN GOYA	JAMES B. VELTRI	BRIAN LARA	EUGENE ROBERSON	THOMAS CARTER	MICHAEL E GREENLEAF
Committee	C00540385	C00550129	C00405852	C00558601	C00553297	C00176420	C00548453	C00522821	C00547067	C00554345	C00543033	C00560672	C00505800	C00545715	C00552513	C00548024	C00546606	C00564724	C00553420	C00568246	C00509489	C00261891	C00547299	C00558312	C00499137	C00560649	C00548701
Candidate Name	BEALE, ANTHONY A	TURNQUEST, CALVIN DEON	CAVASSO, CAMPBELL	CICOTTE, GEORGE FREDERICK	FREI DANIEL EDWARD		MOYLAN, DAVID JOHN III MD		ESPERO WILLIAM	FISCHER, JAMES M	STAMPER, JEREMY MICHAEL	JETT, SHANE DAVID	STEIN, JILL	BONILLA, JORGE L JR	KALEKA, AMARDEEP	PALOMARES-STARBUCK. LORENZO 'LARRY'	MINOR, LOUIE JR	MCCLINE, JAMEEL	PRIEM, RICHARD G				BOLGER, RICHARD OWEN	LARA, BRIAN	SUND, SHARON	CARTER, THOMAS G	WALTERS, RONALD NEAL
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BEFORE THE FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION

In the Matter of	.)
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Administrative Fine Program - Final) AFs 2955, 2962, 2973, 2974, 2979,
Determination Recommendation for the) 2984, 2988, 2994 and 2995
2014 Year-End Report: BEALE FOR	· ·
CONGRESS, and STEVEN R BURRIS)
as treasurer; DAN FREI FOR)
CONGRESS, and SAKALOSKY,)
MATTHEW as treasurer; JETT FOR)
CONGRESS, and LESLIE SUSANNE)
LANDWERT as treasurer; JILL STEIN)
FOR PRESIDENT, and MORAN,)
JAMES as treasurer; LORENZO)
'LARRY' PALOMARES-STARBUCK)
FOR CONGRESS, and ELY CESAR as)
treasurer; NEW MEXICANS FOR)
RICHARD PRIEM, and PATTI RIVAS)
as treasurer; RICHARD BOLGER FOR)
CONGRESS, and JAMES B. VELTRI as)
treasurer; TOM CARTER FOR)
CONGRESS, and CARTER, THOMAS	· ·
as treasurer; WALTERS FOR)
CONGRESS, and MICHAEL E)
GREENLEAF as treasurer)

CERTIFICATION

I, Shelley E. Garr, Deputy Secretary of the Federal Election Commission, do hereby certify that on August 21, 2015 the Commission decided by a vote of 6-0 to take the following actions as recommended in the Reports Analysis Division's Memorandum dated August 19, 2015:

Federal Election Commission Certification for Administrative Fines August 21, 2015

- 1. Make a final determination that Beale for Congress and Steven R. Burris, as treasurer; Dan Frei for Congress and Sakalosky, Matthew, as treasurer; Jett for Congress and Leslie Susanne Landwert as treasurer; Jill Stein for President, and Moran, James as treasurer; Lorenzo 'Larry' Palomares-Starbuck for Congress, and Ely Cesar as treasurer; New Mexicans for Richard Priem, and Patti Rivas as treasurer; Richard Bolger for Congress, and James B. Veltri as treasurer; Tom Carter for Congress and Carter, Thomas as treasurer; Walters for Congress, and Michael E. Greenleaf as treasurer with no activity violated 52 U.S.C. § 30104(a) (formerly 2 U.S.C. § 434(a) and will not be assessed a civil money penalty.
- 2. Send the appropriate letters.

Commissioners Goodman, Hunter, Petersen, Ravel, Walther, and Weintraub voted affirmatively for the decision.

Attest:

Fugust 24, 2015
Date

Shelley E. Gabr

Deputy Secretary of the Commission



FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION WASHINGTON, D.C. 20463

August 24, 2015

Patti Rivas, in official capacity as Treasurer New Mexicans for Richard Priem 5801 Eubank NE #227 Albuquerque, NM 87111

C00553420 AF#: 2984

Dear Ms. Rivas:

On April 3, 2015, the Federal Election Commission ("the Commission") found reason to believe ("RTB") that New Mexicans for Richard Priem and you, in your official capacity as treasurer, violated 52 U.S.C. § 30104(a) for filing late or failing to file the 2014 Year-End Report. By letter dated April 6, 2015, the Commission notified you of the RTB finding and the preliminary civil money penalty calculated at the RTB stage to be \$2,970 in accordance with the schedule of penalties at 11 CFR § 111.43. Please note that you must file the 2014 Year-End Report in the appropriate format if you have not already done so for your report to be considered filed.

Since that time, the amount of the civil money penalty has been changed to reflect the actual level of activity disclosed in the miscellaneous document dated April 22, 2015. The FEC made a final determination on August 21, 2015 that New Mexicans for Richard Priem and you, in your official capacity as treasurer, violated 52 U.S.C. § 30104(a), assessed no civil money penalty in accordance with 11 CFR § 111.43, and voted to close the file.

The confidentiality provisions at 52 U.S.C. § 30109(a)(12) no longer apply and this matter is now public. Pursuant to 11 CFR §§ 111.42(b) and 111.20(c), the file will be placed on the public record within thirty (30) days from the date of this notification.

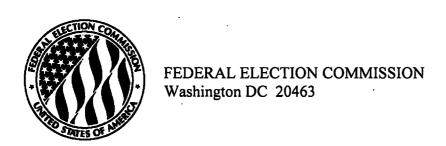
If you have any questions regarding this matter, please contact Sari Pickerall on our toll free number (800) 424-9530 (at the prompt press 5) or (202) 694-1130.

On behalf of the Commission,

M Ravel

Ann M. Ravel

Chair



THIS IS THE END OF A	ADMINISTRATIVE FINE CASE #_	2984
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